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New U.S. Patent Application
Title: IMAGE RECORDING DEVICE
Inventor: Takeo ARAI

Sir:

We enclose the following papers for filing in the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above patent application.

1. Application- 77 pages, including 2 independent claims and 21 claims total.
2. Drawings- 9 sheets of drawings containing 14 Figures.
3. Declaration and Power of Attorney.
4. Recordation Form Cover Sheet and Assignment to KONICA MINOLTA HOLDINGS, INC.
5. Certified copy of Japanese Patent Application Nos. 2003-088685, filed March 27, 2003 and 2004-047641, filed February 24, 2004.
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Basic Application Filing Fee					\$770	\$ \$770.00
	Number of Claims		Basic	Extra Claims		
Total Claims	21	-	20	1	x \$18	18.00
Independent Claims	2	-	3		x \$86	
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7. A check for \$828.00 is enclosed. The fee includes:

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\$ 40.00 Assignment recordation fee.

Applicants claim the right to priority based on Japanese Application No. 2003-088685, filed March 27, 2003 and 2004-047641, filed February 24, 2004.

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional filing fees due and any other fees due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or §1.17 during the pendency of this application to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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